

Local paddlers competing in Masters Games Games have that Olympic thrill



Gabor Joo (left) and wife Peggie (right) share a laugh in between races at the Masters' Games. (Toronto Bureau photo)

By DOUGLAS ARMOUR
Toronto Bureau
Competing in the first International Masters Games gave Georgetown's Gabor Joo that Olympic feeling.
Mr. Joo, who competed in the 1964 and 1968 Olympic kayaking competitions, came second in the Masters Games 5,000 meters, 500 meter doubles and men's 25 kilometers and fourth in the 500 meter competitions held recently in Toronto Island. His wife, Peggie, came second in the women's 500 meter doubles.
While winning brought back the feeling of Olympic style competitions, it was competing against the "old gang" that gave Mr. Joo a real thrill.

Many of the competitors entered in the five-day event were athletes. Mr. Joo raced with or against in club or Olympic competitions. Interviewed between races he cited Masters Games canoeing chairperson and organizer Jim Mossman, who coached him and other Canadian kayaking team members during the '64 and '68 Olympics. One kayaking competitor at the Games Mr. Joo hadn't raced with since 1959.
For the Joos and other

Masters competitors aged 30 and over, the advantage of the Games lies in competing with people the same age group but with varied sports backgrounds and nationalities.
Mr. Joo, 48, said that while he enjoys competing with younger kayakers, what they lack in experience they make up in stamina - an edge that doesn't make for sportsmanlike competition. Competing in the Masters Games gives older athletes a chance to test

their skill and stamina against those their own age, he said.
Prior to competing in the 500 meter qualifying heat, Mr. Joo said the large turnout for the competition had made him nervous.
"Some of the competitors...I don't know. They may be very good, they may not be."
After the 500 meter race, in which he finished fourth, it was evident to Mr. Joo that the competition was "stronger than I expected by

far."
He admitted he could have done better during the race but had placed too much emphasis on sprinting at the starting and was unable to maintain his stamina when nearing the finish.
After the race, he successfully predicted he would do better in the 5,000 meters where he finished second against Australian Dennis Green.
In the spirit of the Masters Games, which

plts athletes against each other on an individual rather than national basis, Mr. Joo came second in the men's doubles paddling with Australian Clifford Burvill. Peggie came first in the women's 500 meter doubles with Australian Sperry Rade-maker.
Both Gabor and Peggie hope to compete in future Masters Games which will be held every four years in cities around the world.

PARK IT
Although summer is quickly passing us by, there is still plenty of time to enjoy the great weather in one of the many parks in Halton Hills.
Whether you prefer to actively participate in sports and play or just relax in the shade of a quiet area, please come out and share in the enjoyment of one of our parks.

Eagles out to salvage '85 season

By DAN RALPH
Herald Sports Editor
Georgetown Junior Eagles will have an opportunity starting Friday turning a losing season into a winning one.
The Eagles have won just four of 23 Central Ontario Baseball Association (COBA) games this season. However Friday the Eagles host Tillsonburg in the best-of-three Ontario Baseball Association (OBA) Junior "D" playoff.
Eagles' manager Dan Guistini acknowledges

the playoff is a new lease on life for the Georgetown team.
"The players are certainly happy to be playing ball," Guistini said. "This gives us a change of salvaging something from the year."
"Initially the players' comments were "Junior D?" But I told them that our record wasn't that good, and this was an opportunity for us to win."
"I'm looking forward to it," said outfielder Paul Guistini. "It's not a great thing to get in D,

but it is good to get into the playoffs. A lot of players won't be back next year and it would be nice to win something. This hasn't been the greatest season in the world."
"I think we can go pretty far in D," said pitcher Mario Galvao. "At the beginning of the year it was kind of embarrassing, but if we play well defensively we can beat anyone. It would be nice to win, at least the season wouldn't be a total loss."
After hosting Friday night, the Eagles will travel to Tillsonburg Saturday for a 4 p.m. game there. A coin toss Friday night will determine who gets the extra home game.

Royal LePage football team wins first game of year

By J.J. TOMTYRE
Herald Special
Royal LePage snatched their first victory from North Halton Sports in the final quarter of the game of a 10-8 contest! Joanne Searle opened the scoring with a 20 yard field goal for Royal LePage. North Halton took the lead with a major by Brenda Hamilton and the two pointer grabbed by

Michelle Hulme. North Halton held their lead until the final play of the game when Royal LePage's Marg Wallinga got the major and Joanne Searle kicked the convert!
Game Stars: Brenda Hamilton (NHHS), Carrie Gibbs (RL).
JV JETS 13 - PEEL COUNTY BANDITS 6
JV Jets opened the scoring with a major by

Wendy Moore with Lorraine Brown kicking the convert. Lynn Terashita answered back for the Bandits with a 50 yard TD run. Wendy Moore once again scored to secure the Jets victory.
Game Stars: Lynn Terashita (PCB), Lorraine Brown (JVJ).
DIET CENTER 18 - JV JETS 6
JV Jets and the Diet Center finally met for the first time this season - the Diet Center came up with the victory! At the half the ball game was tied with majors by Denean Jones (DC) and Linda Ferguson (JVJ) and an interception by Lisa Allen (DC). The Diet Center held the Jets scoreless in the second half while adding two more majors by Cheryl Thompson and Barb McKeenan.
Game Stars: Linda Ferguson (JVJ), Lisa Allen (DC).
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A's record IFL wins

Acton A's of the Intercounty Fastball League won a pair of games this week.
Friday night the A's downed Erin 6-1 in Erin. Jim Schnarr got the win, allowing six hits while fanning 18.
Acton got on the board in the fourth inning when Dave Lawson's single brought home Kob Vermullen. Vermullen had singled, and Glen Scott then walked.
Erin tied the game with a run in the bottom half of the inning.
In the fifth, Tim Baker and Gord McArthur singled. Roy Spear hit a single that brought Baker home. Dick Spear then belted a triple that brought two more runs

across, and Spear scored on his hit when the centre fielder made a throwing error.
Acton rounded out their scoring in the seventh when McArthur, Paul Cargill and Roy Spear all hit singles to load the bases. Dick Spear then hit a sacrifice fly for the last A's run.
Acton then won a forfeited match Sunday against Guelph. Saturday's doubleheader with Erin was cancelled, and will be played Saturday in Acton starting at 6:30 p.m.
Along with the doubleheader, Acton still must play one more game with Hornby to round out its league schedule.

there was a lot of action with interceptions by Donna Brown and Christine Williamson of Work That Body and Nancy Hamilton of Thruway Muffler.
Game Stars: Debbie Duff (WTB), Nancy Hamilton (TM).
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Specters have quiet week

Glen Williams Specters of the Intercounty Fastball League had a very quiet week as they did not take to the field for a league game.
Last week a doubleheader with Hornby was cancelled, but it was played last night in the Glen. Those games round out the Specters' regular season. Prior to Tuesday's games, the Specters had a 19-7 record.
As of the weekend, the Ontario Amateur Softball Association (OASA) Intermediate "A" zone playoffs were not completed. Glen Williams will take on the winner of the Grimby-Dunnville series.
Specters' manager Ted Wilkes has informed the OASA the start of the Glen Williams series could start next week, with Wilkes scheduling in Tuesday at the series opener.
The winner of the series will go to the provincial tourney slated for Ingersoll in mid-September.

Hiseman aids Ponies' wins

Heather Hiseman scored five goals in two games to lead My Little Ponies to two squirt girls soccer wins this week.
Hiseman had two goals in the Ponies' 4-1 win over Coolcats. Kate Carney and Sarah Hiseman had the others. Leigh Shillington scored for Coolcats. Janice Brown, Michelle Cowbrough and Cheryl Rivard played well for the winners while Kerith Geh, Alisha Broomhead and Jenny Thompson played well for Coolcats.
Hiseman had three goals in her team's 5-0 win over Grasshoppers. Roberta Squire and Karen Walker scored the others. Lisa Boulanger, Cowbrough and Sarah Hiseman played well for the winners.
In other games, Burgundy Bombers tied Liqueur Sticks 1-1. Melissa Waits scored for Bombers while Kimberley Stevenson scored for Sticks. Heather Bowman, Naomi Assenhelm and Megan Fox played well for the Bombers while Sarah Arneson, Elizabeth Crawford, Danielle Cary and Mary Lynn Hogan played well for Sticks.
Sarah Hiseman scored for My Little Ponies as they tied Burgundy Bombers 1-1. Allison Macewan scored for Bombers. Janice Brown, Heather Hiseman, Cheryl Rivard and Roberta Squire played well for Ponies, who tied despite being shorthanded.
In the other game Grasshoppers downed Coolcats 3-1.



NICE TRY
This youngster is a study in concentration as he tries to hit the tennis ball. However, it appears this time that the ball will elude his efforts. This youngster was improving his skills at the Pepsi-Wilson tennis clinic being run by the Halton Hills Recreation and Parks Department. All the equipment is being offered by Wilson. (Herald photo by Dan Ralph)

SPORTS SCOREBOARD

Kinmen girls softball
JUNIORS
July 18 saw Standard Products victorious over Valdi Discount Foods with a score of 27-25. Home runs were from Sheila "Sluggo" Siles and Cindy Rouillard for Standard and Tara Grostjen and Jennifer Murray for Valdi. Game stars were Kim Whitshire for Standard and Grostjen and Murray for Valdi.
On July 25 North Halton Sports slipped by a short handed Standard Products with a score of 23-18. Home runs were from Tracey Mory (2) and Krista Robertson who also had a grand slam for North Halton and for Standard were Wanda Brown, Tracy Green, and Cindy Rouillard (2). Game stars were for North Halton Mory and Robertson while for Standard Brown.
August 1: Valdi Discount Foods slaughtered North Halton Sports 21-16. Home runs were smashed in by Laura Doyle, Kelly Puckering, Amy Korzak, and Michelle all of Valdi. Game stars were the entire North Halton team and Doy Puckering, Michelle, and Korzak of Valdi.
August 8 saw Standard Products slaughtering a strong Valdi team with a score of 25-17. Smashing in homers were Laura Doyle, Michelle, and Tara Grostjen for Valdi and for Standard Sara Hillman and a grand slam from Laurie McTaggart. Game stars were for Standard McTaggart and for Valdi Lillian MacDonal.
INTERMEDIATE
On July 18 Optimists were victorious over Delrex Smoke Shop with a score of 26-21. Home runs were from Kelly McCutcheon (2), Tara Robinson (2), Teri Korzak (2), and Janet Hayward of Delrex and from the Optimists Debbie Swene, Jody Armstrong and Bridget McCauley. Game stars were Swene for the Optimists and Robinson, Korzak, and McCutcheon for Delrex.
Kintettes Dairy Bar was victorious over Dairy Queen by a score of 23-10. Home runs were from Kelly McCutcheon (2), Kim Sacco, and Sherri-Ann Glenn all of Kintettes. Game stars were Deby Welling and Subject of Kintettes and Kerry Lewis from Dairy Queen.
Kintettes beat Elks Lodge with a score of 19-11. Home runs were all from the Kintettes with Tara Bouckill, Denise Harden, and Natalie Andrews. Game stars were Bouckill, Harden, and Susan Mory from Kintettes and Tracy Paul of Elks Lodge.
July 25 saw Dairy Queen being victorious over Kintettes 28-15. Home runs were belted in by Denise Harden (2), Tara Bouckill for Kintettes and for Dairy Queen Carolyn Stewart. Game stars were Leanne Mossop for her great plays on second and for the Kintettes Natalie Andrews.
Kintettes Dairy Bar beat the Optimists 24-17. Game stars were Andrea McLean, Jody Armstrong, Nicole Conely all of Optimists and Tammy Brown of Kintettes.
Delrex Smoke Shop hammered in 13 home runs to be victorious over Elks Lodge with a

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Islanders colored sweaters will come with 10' double color rubberized numbers on the back with a double screen front crest.
The squad purchased 48 pairs of socks (\$286.08), four Jofu shoulder pads (\$163.52), four Koko helmets (\$34.27 each), six pairs of Rawling gloves (\$507), six dozen Louisville sticks (\$900), and six Louisville goalie sticks (\$120). The sales tax and costs for sewing sponsors names to the sweaters were not included. However, Thompson said he felt he could get a discount of about five per cent on further stick orders.
Thompson mentioned the team might need some new duffel bags, but no decision was made.
President Thomson had a minor concern about those club directors who have not made a team meeting yet. He said he brought the subject up to find out who are interested in helping the team, and who aren't. Thomson said the work load for each executive and director could be light if all who said would help indeed follow through.
General manager Elmer Dunn will contact all the absent directors, and meet with them to discuss fundraising methods.
The Sabres will have eight home games on Wednesday nights and seven Friday home dates this season. The first game will be Oct. 9, at home against Fergus while the final league game will be Jan. 17 in Fergus.
Wednesday games will begin at 8:30 p.m. while the Friday games will start at 8 p.m.
A league all-star game has tentatively been set for Nov. 16 in Caledon. Each team will have two representatives on their divisional all-star squad. The top percentage coaches in each division will be the all-star coaches. The top goalies in goals-against average will also be the

Sabres cont'd

game's goalies.
The Sabres play their first exhibition game Aug. 28 in Nobleton against Schomberg.
The first Sabres training camp date will be Aug. 19 at the Alcott Arena starting at 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. On Aug. 22-26 and 28, the team will hold two-hour sessions starting at 8 p.m., also at the Alcott Arena.

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